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E.O. 11652: N/A
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SUBJECT: INVITATION TO POLISH MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE
TO VISIT THE UNITED STATES

REF: WARSAW 1341

1. IN MEETING MARCH 18 ON ANOTHER SUBJECT, DIRECTOR OF MINISTERS CABINET INFORMED AGICULTURAL ATTACHE THAT POLISH AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES HAD BEEN INSTRUCTED TO ISSUE INVITATION TO SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE BUTZ TO VISIT POLAND IN MAY. SUBJECT TO SECRETARY BUTZ'S ACCEPTANCE, MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE BARCIKOWSKI WOULD ACCEPT INVIATION TO VISIT THE UNITED STATES IN THE FALL.

2. IN CONVERSATION I HAD WITH VICE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS SPASOWSKI EVENING MARCH 17, HE SAID THAT PRIME MINISTER HAD MADE DECISION TO MAKE BARCIKOWSKI'S ACCEPTANCE A QUID PRO QUO FOR SECRETARY BUTZ'S ACCEPTANCE OF AN INVITATION TO VISIT POLAND IN RETURN FOR THE VISIT TO THE US DURING THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION BY THEN MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE EDWARD OCHAB.

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3. ACTION REQUESTED (A) EMBASSYS RECORDS DO

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NOT EXTEND FAR ENOUGH BACK TO SHOW THE HISTORY OF VISITS BY MINISTERS AND SECRETARIES OF AGRICULTURE, BUT THERE IS A RECOLLECTION HERE THAT ORVILLE FREEMAN VISITED POLAND BRIEFLY, FOLLOWING VISITS TO THE US BY MIECZYSLAW JAGIELSKI AND OCHAB. IF THIS IS SO, THE EMBASSY WOULD PROPOSE TO MENTION IT DISCREETLY TO POLISH OFFICIALS AND INDICATE THAT THE BALL REMAINS IN THEIR COURT. WE WOULD THEREFORE APPRECIATE A RUN-DOWN ON THE HISTORY OF THESE VISITS. (B) IF AMBASSADOR TRAMPCZYNSKI HAS EXTENDED THE INVITATION TO SECRETARY BUTZ, THE EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING A STATUS REPORT. DAVIES

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